

Are you currently taking medicine for your high blood pressure?*
Kentucky BRFSS 2001

Demographic Groups	Total Respond.#	Yes			No		
		N	%	C.I.(95%)	N	%	C.I.(95%)
TOTAL	2564	1998	74.9	(72.1-77.5)	566	25.1	(22.5-27.9)
GENDER							
Male	1014	747	70.6	(66.1-74.8)	267	29.4	(25.2-33.9)
Female	1550	1251	79.0	(75.7-81.9)	299	21.0	(18.1-24.3)
RACE							
White/NH	2315	1808	75.0	(72.1-77.8)	507	25.0	(22.2-27.9)
African American/NH	146	112	74.9	(63.5-83.7)	34	25.1	(16.3-36.5)
AGE							
18-24	49	6	10.5	(3.3-28.9)	43	89.5	(71.1-96.7)
25-34	158	53	28.5	(19.5-39.6)	105	71.5	(60.4-80.5)
35-44	327	190	58.9	(50.5-66.9)	137	41.1	(33.1-49.5)
45-54	507	379	73.0	(67.1-78.1)	128	27.0	(21.9-32.9)
55-64	558	481	87.8	(83.7-91.0)	77	12.2	(9.0-16.3)
65+	956	881	91.9	(89.2-94.0)	75	8.1	(6.0-10.8)
EDUCATION							
Less Than H.S.	849	693	79.2	(74.8-83.1)	156	20.8	(16.9-25.2)
H.S. or G.E.D.	938	719	73.1	(68.0-77.6)	219	26.9	(22.4-32.0)
Some Post-H.S.	471	349	72.8	(66.7-78.1)	122	27.2	(21.9-33.3)
College Graduate	294	226	74.1	(65.9-80.8)	68	25.9	(19.2-34.1)
HOUSEHOLD INCOME							
Less than \$15,000	484	394	78.7	(72.5-83.7)	90	21.3	(16.3-27.5)

\$15,000- 24,999	442	340 75.8 (69.5-81.1)	102 24.2 (18.9-30.5)
\$25,000- 34,999	288	208 68.4 (59.8-75.9)	80 31.6 (24.1-40.2)
\$35,000- 49,999	236	167 72.0 (63.9-78.8)	69 28.0 (21.2-36.1)
\$50,000+	290	204 70.0 (62.3-76.8)	86 30.0 (23.2-37.7)

Denominator includes only those respondents who have been told by a doctor or other health professional that they have high blood pressure.*

#Use caution in interpreting data for total respondents less than 50. N = Cell Size, NH = Non-Hispanic, %

= Percentage, C.I.(95%) = Confidence Interval (at 95 percent probability level).

Percentages are weighted to population characteristics.

Unless stated differently above, Missing, 'Don't know', and Refused responses are excluded.